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Re: United States Design Application No. 09/621,234
For: VERTICAL CYLINDRICAL SKEIN OF HOLLOW FIBER MEMBRANES
AND METHOD OF MAINTAINING CLEAN FIBER SURFACES
Applicants: HENSHAW et al
Filed: July 20, 2000

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.56 and 1.97, the applicant hereby submits a supplemental Information Disclosure Statement including form PTO/SB/08b. This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted with a Request for Continued Examination and no fee is required.

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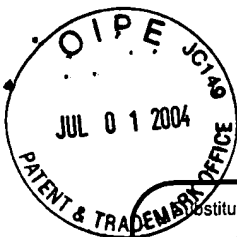
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